MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 3RD MAY 1934.

A total of 3 attacks with 2 deaths from plague was reported during the week against 1 attack with 4 deaths in the previous week. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Area continued to remain free from the disease. The Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1933 and 1932 were 7 attacks with 3 deaths and 11 attacks with 9 deaths, respectively.

Sixty-two attacks with 21 deaths from small-pox were reported (for the whole State) from one village in each of Mandya, Mudigere, Goribidnur, Chintamani,. and Nagar Taluks, two villages from Srinivaspur Taluk, three villages in Molakalmuru Taluk and from Hosdurga Town and from Bangalore City and Kolar Gold Field Area.

The State remained free from Cholera, Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 92, representing a calculated annual ratio of 24·59 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 25·64 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 3 under Small-pox, 2 under Malaria, 8 under Broncho-Pneumonia, 9 under Pneumonia, 1 under Typhoid, 1 under other fevers, 2 under Phthisis, 8 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 58, under all other causes.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 70 deaths representing a calculated annual ratio of 21·66 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 27·52 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under Small-pox, 6 under Broncho-Pneumonia, 4 under Pneumonia, 1 under other Fevers, 5 under Phthisis, 8 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 44 under all other causes.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 41 representing a calculated annual ratio of 18·54 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 18·53 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Broncho-Pneumonia 3, Pneumonia 1, Typhoid 1, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 4, and all other causes 28.

There were 35 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area, equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 21·60 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 21·99 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Small-pox, 1 under Broncho-Pneumonia, 7 under Pneumonia, 1 under Typhoid, 1 under other Fevers, 2 under Phthisis, 1 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 21 under all other causes.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 5th May 1934.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor, per palla ...	100	246	10 4 0 to 12 4 0	...	8 to 9⅛ seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna, per palla.	100	246	.....	No stock	
	Dharapur, per palla ...	100	246	.....	Do	
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	8 12 0 to 10 8 0	...	9½ to 11 ,,
	Alubbalu, per palla ...	100	246	10 4 0 (old)	...	9½ ,,
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black), per cartload.	640	...	20 0 0 to 22 0 0	...	25 to 27 ,,
	Superior (Red), per cartload.	640	...	23 0 0 to 24 0 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	9⅛ to 10½ ,,
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6⅜ to 8 ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	7⅛ to 11 ,,
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6½ to 8⅜ ,,
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26¼	3 8 0	...	Re. 0-1-6 per seer
	Castor oil ...	...	28	3 6 0	...	,, 0-1-6 per seer
Oil seeds ...	Gingelly or Til seeds, per candy.	255	...	25 0 0 to 27 0 0		
	Castor seed, per candy	255	...	18 0 0		
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	....	25	3 5 0 to 3 8 0	...	Re. 0-6-8 to 0-7-0 per viss.
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	3 6 0	...	
Jaggery ...	Achu	...	28	1 4 0 to 1 8 0	...	,, 0-2-6 to 0-3-0 per viss.
	Oonde	...	28	1 0 0 to 1 5 0	...	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26¼	16 0 0	...	Rs. 2-0-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 0 0	...	14 seers per rupee

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